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RCHS music director trying to pick up tempo

Marvelli believes music has value to a developing brain, developing person

ANTHONY MARVELLI on stage. He's chairman of the arts program at River City High School, and plays trumpet with a band in his spare time.

(Courtesy photo)

From Heather Wright
News-Ledger
Correspondent

Anthony Marvelli is chair of the Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA) Department at River City High School, a professional brass player with area band "Joy and Madness," and a mentor.

As a performer, he and his band combine sounds of soul, funk, and salsa to get people out of their seats to dance. As an instructor, he teaches a much wider variety of music. According to Marvelli, "Music has taken over my life and I love it!" He believes music education, leadership skills, and community involvement are interconnected and is committed to expanding VAPA opportunities for West Sacramento's youth.

It started when he was a kid attending the Sacramento Jazz Jubilee in the 1980s.

"I used to attend these festivals every Memorial Day weekend with my parents, and fell in love with Dixieland Jazz. It was animated and fun, especially the trombone player."

Even at Disneyland, he gravitated toward the French Quarter for the music and atmosphere. In fourth grade, he took classical trumpet lessons.

"In fifth grade, we got to choose our instruments. I had hoped to play the trombone like Dixieland jazz musicians, but it wasn't an option." So, he stuck with the trumpet, like many of his favorite musicians – Miles Davis, Chet Baker, and Clifford Brown – and continued playing at school.

What started Marvelli on a leadership path?

"In seventh grade, my band teacher commented that the lead trumpet is the band leader," he explained. "I also got encouragement from my mother. I began putting together ensembles for the talent show and then in high school I took over the leadership position of the pep band."

By this time, Marvelli knew he wanted to play music for the rest of his life. He majored in Jazz Studies Performance Music at the University of North Texas to parlay his love of music into a teaching career. "Then, to my surprise, my performance career took off." He got gigs on Carnival cruise ships during school breaks, in cover bands, and for stars such as Engelbert Humperdinck, the Guy Lombardo Orchestra, and Paul Anka.

As a performer Marvelli plays the trumpet, but as a teacher he provides instruction on wind ensemble instruments, including woodwinds, brass and percussion, as well as digital music production.

"This is my fifth year teaching at River City and directing the Marching Band," he said. "Last year, our band outgrew the decades' old uniforms and the school board approved funds to buy new uniforms. The kids looked so sharp last year in the MLK and Veteran's Day Parades in Sacramento. Our wind ensemble continues to rank at the top of area competitions."

Last year, Marvelli created a Big Band Ensemble, and it was so popular that the students voluntarily came to daily practice before school even started. All the bands perform at school and community functions including athletic events, rallies, holiday benefits, restaurant patios, and parades. RCHS also has a talented student jazz band - the Syncopating Sea Monkeys, directed by Felicia Weatherly. Coincidentally, the Sea Monkeys perform every year at the Sacramento Music Festival, previously known as the Sacramento Jazz Jubilee – Marvelli's childhood inspiration.

Marvelli says that playing music is a journey where one learns to embrace creativity, to problem-solve in diverse situations, technical skills, how to collaborate with diverse groups and to navigate political situations. The goal is to be better than yesterday. It's such a simple goal, yet one that drives perpetual personal and group growth. "As a teacher, I hope my students take it very seriously and

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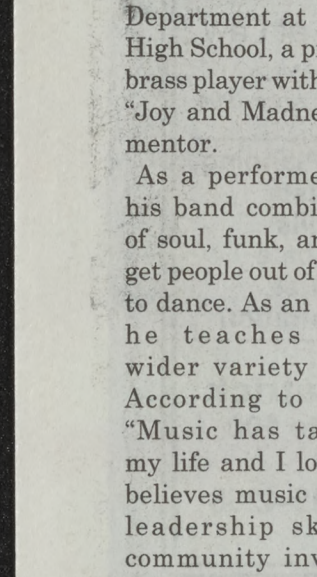

Summer camp for RCHS club members

By Danny Thirakul
River City High School
Interact Club

Five River City High School students start the new school year Aug. 20 having attended a different kind of summer camp – one that builds not only camaraderie, but character. The Camp RYLA campers are in the River City High School Interact Club, sponsored by West Sac's two Rotary clubs: Centennial Rotary and Rotary Club of West Sacramento.

Camp RYLA – Rotary Youth Leadership Awards – proved to be a life changing experience for the five West Sacramento Interactors: Jessica Ngo, 17, Danny Thirakul, 17, Jayne Chong, 17, Eric Arauza, 17 and JuliaMarie Quenga, 17.

Located at Grizzly Creek Ranch in Portola, Camp RYLA hosts "Interactors" from throughout Rotary District 5180. The high school juniors attend the week-long camp courtesy of full camp scholarships from their sponsoring local Rotary clubs. This year, Sacramento's Pocket-Greenhaven Rotary Club also awarded a scholarship to River City Interactor Jayne Chong.

RCHS Interact Club President Jessica Ngo says the camp experience "makes you feel like you belong, pushes you to be open, to confront your fears, to be confident in yourself and your abilities, and above all be you!"

The author, 17-year old Danny Thirakul, cheers for competitors in the Mind Olympics
(photo by Gunnar Hatzenbiler, also age 17))

At the camp, students are sorted into different teams/groups, where they engage in different icebreakers. They also enjoy many outdoor activities such as archery, kayaking, mountain hiking, and swimming. The ropes course challenges campers both physically and mentally, Jayne says. Campers are encouraged to be open and face their fears with the help and support of their team. She said, "My favorite part was the ropes course because it was amazing how many were able to face their fears."

Other self-esteem building activities include group games such as the Mind Olympics, Cross the Line, and Superhero. Campers also attend motivational speeches by special guest speakers, the camp directors, and camp counselors.

Throughout the week the teens learn a lot about themselves. Danny says, "They broke themselves down to the tiniest atom and rebuilt themselves bigger and better than ever." While most of campers start out as strangers, by the end of camp, he says, they feel like family.

To learn more about the Interact Club at River City High School, go to:

http://rivercity.wusd.k12.ca.us/interact.

Beware of bats with rabies

The Yolo County Sheriff's Department warns members of the public not to touch any bats found on the ground. The department tells of one incident that took place early the afternoon of August 13 in Davis:

"A bat was found inside a tire swing at Davis Community Park, in the children's playground behind the Davis Art Center. The bat then fell out of the tire swing onto the ground. Children were present and alerted an adult that there was a bat crawling on the ground. The bat was impounded by an Animal Services Officer and sent in for testing to the Solano, Napa & Yolo Public Health Laboratory to test for the rabies virus. Results determined the bat was positive for the virus."

In 2013, adds Vicky Fletcher of the sheriff's office, "there were numerous bats under the pedestrian overcrossing (at the park) that tested positive for rabies."

"If you find a bat on the ground or in your residence," said Fletcher in a press release, "do not attempt to handle the animal. Please contact Yolo County Sheriff's Animal Services or your local law enforcement agency to have the animal removed."

"Also, remember to vaccinate your pets for rabies," she said.

If a person becomes sick with rabies, it's generally fatal. But if a person exposed to rabies receives treatment before symptoms appear, the disease can usually be prevented.

POLICE LOG

News items below are collected from police dispatchers' notes and arrest reports. The information in them has often not been verified beyond the initial reports.

Aug. 14

A woman from Peter Island Road noticed that someone had placed fraudulent charges on her credit card account. The charges were made in South Africa.

Aug. 27, 7:48 a.m.

A Park Boulevard resident reported a house burglary. Someone entered through a window, stealing computers, watches, skateboards and other items. Total value of the items lost was around $1,200, she said.

Aug. 27, 3:38 p.m.

On Westacre Road, a man "pulled his pants down, exposing his genitals to children." The 37-year old was arrested.

Aug. 28, 3:56 p.m.

A 37-year old woman returned to her Williams Street home after a stint in jail, and found that someone had burglarized it. Missing were about $1,850 of property including a TV, stereo, lawnmower and jewelry.

Aug. 29, 6:49 a.m.

Two suspects were seen breaking into a car parked on Regatta Lane. When the car's 29-year old owner confronted them, he was "stabbed with an unknown object three ties." The suspects then fled.

Aug. 29, 7 p.m.

An officer responded to a Riverpoint Court home supply store, where a shoplifter was in custody. A "loss prevention" staff member reported having watched a 27-year old transient run out of the store with a $399 nail gun. The staffer placed the suspect under citizen's arrest.

The officer learned there was a warrant for the man's arrest, and found a drug pipe in the man's pants pocket. The suspect also "had two text message conversations on his cell phone in regard to intentionally going to (the store) to steal the nail gun."

After being read his Miranda rights, the man admitted he got a ride from a friend to the store in order to steal the tool. He said he had no money and intended to sell the nail gun to get cash for food.

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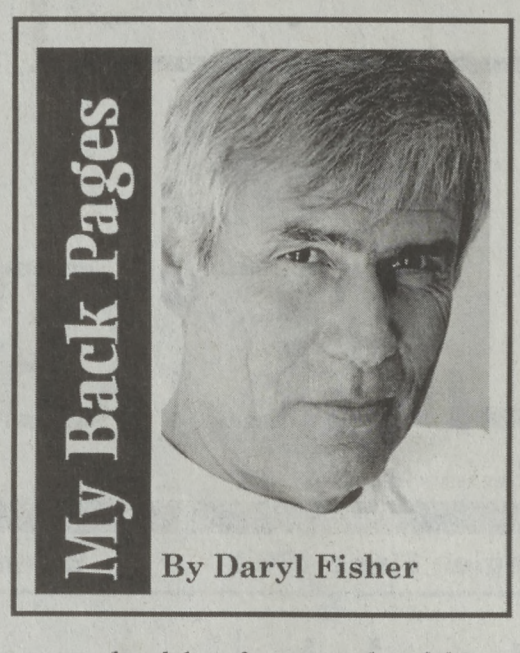
Children and guns: an accident waiting to happen



Certain news stories are a little harder to read than others, and the recent one about a 9-year old girl from New Jersey accidentally shooting and killing her Uzi submachine gun instructor while on holiday was one of them. It seems almost inconceivable that such a stupid thing could have happened, yet when it comes to the subject of guns in this country, I guess nothing really surprises me anymore.

As I understand it, the young girl and her family were vacationing out West and decided to take a day trip from Las Vegas to visit Hoover Dam, which I have done before myself. It's a great little desert car ride and the Depression-era dam itself is a remarkable testament to what Americans can accomplish when they put their minds to doing something. It seems almost other-worldly when an endless, lonely road out in the middle of nowhere suddenly comes upon all that concrete holding back the mighty Colorado River, and it's a truly incredible sight that anyone visiting our Western states should see.

As part of a package deal, not only did the young girl and her family get to see mighty Hoover Dam, but they also got to stop at a local shooting range that offered instruction in all kinds of powerful weapons, including everything from grenade launchers to machine guns. Now why any parent would want their 9-year old daughter messing around with an Uzi goes way over my head, but there are a lot of things I don't understand in this life. I did read one quote from a National Rifle Association official who had a seemingly very simple explanation for it, stating that the sooner children learn how to handle and respect weapons of all kinds, the less likely they are to have an accident with one of them, which I guess passes for sanity in the world of the NRA.

In reality, it has been my experience that when you put weapons in the hands of young people, you are just asking for trouble, and it doesn't matter how much instruction you have had, which brings me to my little story.

When I arrived in Vietnam way back in 1969, I had had nine weeks of what was called Army Basic Training, and an additional nine weeks of Advanced Infantry Training, both taking place at Fort Lewis, Washington. In the former we were taught how to properly disassemble and clean an automatic rifle, and were often taken out to a range for target practice. And during the latter, we got to toss grenades (one guy was seriously injured doing it incorrectly) and even fire our M16 automatic rifles in simulated combat situations. So by the time I reached Vietnam, all the other brand new soldiers and I had been properly trained in the use of the weapons we would need to make it safely back to the world, even though we hadn't started at the age of 9.

I hadn't been in Vietnam more than a week when I witnessed my first of many gun accidents. I was going through something called In-Country Training and the guy next to me, and his ammo carrier, were ordered to take their M-50 machine gun and run as fast as they could to a designated forward position about 25 meters to our front, where they were supposed to dive to the earth and prepare to give our training platoon cover from an imaginary enemy. The running part went well, especially considering what a heavy weapon the machine gunner was carrying, but when he hit the ground it accidentally started firing and a number of the bullets hit one of our guard towers, suddenly putting the whole base on red alert and sending one of the lookouts to the hospital with a serious leg wound.

The next month two longtime friends arrived in our platoon on what was called "the buddy plan", which allowed recruits to train and serve together, only to have one of them accidentally shoot the other while they were cleaning their rifles. That was followed by a racial incident where two soldiers of different colors who had had too much to drink chased each other all over the compound shooting at one another, not hitting their target, but accidentally wounding one of the company clerks who was in his hootch writing a letter to his girlfriend. Then came the incident that I remember most clearly, because it involved me.

A new guy had arrived in our troop and as was the custom, he was assigned to walk behind his squad's pointman (which happened to me on that day) so he could get an idea of what his duties would be when he took over that position. And as we were strolling along on patrol, knowing that we were in a relatively safe area, all seemed to be well, until about a dozen bullets suddenly started kicking up the dirt all around me. After I and everyone else in the platoon hit the ground, it wasn't long before we discovered what had happened. Without having his safety on, the new guy walking behind me had accidentally tripped over something and almost emptied a full clip into my back before he finally got his finger off the trigger.

So when I hear gun enthusiasts talk about the need to start training children about weapons as early as possible, I'm reminded that even well-trained soldiers spend a lot of time accidentally wounding and killing each other in wars, and that if we really want to keep our kids safe, we need to come up with a country that isn't awash in guns of all kinds and shapes, and where an Uzi simply can't end up in the hands of a 9-year old girl.

> Now why any parent would want their 9-year old daughter messing around with an Uzi goes way over my head, but there are a lot of things I don't understand in this life.

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'ACROSS THE BRIDGE':

Events around the region

Underground tours

Hidden beneath the city of Sacramento for nearly 150 years, Old Sacramento's underground has long been the capital's best-kept secret. But underground tours will begin again on September 4 and run through October 30 and you will have the unique opportunity to uncover the facts behind the legends that lie below historic buildings and sidewalks. The tours begin at the Sacramento History Museum, 101 I Street in Old Sacramento and cost $15 for adults and $10 for youths ages 6-17. For more information about the specific times of the tour schedule go to www.historicoldsac.org or call 808-7059.

Antique evaluation

There will be an informal antique evaluation at the Folsom History Museum, 823 Sutter Street in Folsom on September 6th from 10 am to 1 pm. Volunteer appraisers will offer verbal evaluations for a donation of $8 per item or $35 for five items. Proceeds will help support museum programs and for more information call 985-2707.

Singers needed

The fall choral season is about to start and at least 57 choruses throughout the Sacramento region are seeking new members. Most hold auditions in August and September and information about each chorus and their procedures for accepting new member can be found at www.sacchoralcalendar.com/Auditions.htm. West Sacramento-based choruses include the West Sacramento Community Singers and the Voices of California.

Feast at the Fort

The 5th Annual Feast at the Fort will be held at Sutter's Fort State Historic Park, 2701 L Street in Midtown Sacramento, on September 20th from 6:30-9 pm. Tickets are $75 if purchased before September 1st and $85 after that date. The unique culinary event will include a four-course, sit-down dinner prepared by Sacramento's top chefs amid a beautiful setting inside the historic walls of the fort. There will also be lively music, wine and beer tastings, and much more. For tickets call 323-7626 or visit www.suttersfort.org.

Widowed persons meet

The Widowed Persons Association of California hold a newcomers' buffet and social on the third Monday of every month. 972-9722.

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Letters to the Editor

No water metering

(RE: News-Ledger editorial "The meters should be running," Aug. 27)

Water meters, on the surfacee, sound like a great idea. Bill the people for the water they use. However, there are some huge problems with water meters, the main one being the finances for the city.

A few years ago San Jose asked people to reduce their water usage due to a previous drought. The people did and reduced their water usage by over 20 percent. However since the bills were paid by the amount of water used, the water district had revenues that were also 20 percent lower than before. The math was simple less water used means less revenue. So the water district raised the rates by over 20 percent to cover "their" shortfall. This of course incensed the people who saved water and now were being charged just as much for using a lot less water. And of course when they went back to their normal water usage the water district received much more revenue, which they didn't need.

I like our system, we reduced water usage by nearly 20 percent yet the revenues to the city did not change. When the drought is over, we can go back to normal watering and it will not cost us extra. I believe the people can do what is right without getting gouged by meters. I believe enough people in West Sacramento are mature enough to know that using less water now is important and we have stepped up. So no to water meters!

KARL MACHSCHEFES
West Sacramento

Flop houses

I want to know what the city plans to do about the ongoing problem of these "Flop House" motels on West Capitol Avenue? Especially the West Wood. The folks "living" in these flop houses are not travelers looking for a night's rest. They are not even there at night most of the time. And if they are, they are dealing drugs out the bathroom windows. Or yelling and screaming at each other in the streets. These people all ride bikes (after all we are now a bike friendly city) towing a handmade bike trailer of some kind. Or walk around pulling a commercial tub or pushing a stroller full of yappy little matted-hair flea-bitten dogs. They roam the streets at night looking for anything and everything they can sell at the recycle place. I see them out on the corners stripping copper from wiring and leaving the "junk" laying there.

At least once a week someone will get "put out" of the flop house and camp out on the street corner on Poplar & Merkley. Last week there were five suit cases dumped on the corner of Poplar & Merkley on Monday. By Saturday there was one lonely beaten down empty suit case laying on the corner. While out watering my lawn I saw 3 different people and one couple stop, flip it over and check it out to see if it was worth picking up. No one did.

And lets talk about Sunday nights in that area of the city. Monday is garbage collection day in that part of town. Well here they all come from parts far and wide with their bike towed carts or pushing/pulling grocery carts or commercial bins just waiting until dark to rifle through all the recycle/trash bins. It's like a big party on Sunday nights. And heaven help anyone that gets in their way. The all congregate about sundown on the corner of Poplar and Merkley to make their plans on who covers what streets. They come and go to empty their carts of their finds into their rooms and the parking lots in front of their rooms, all night long.

I have lived in that area for almost 21 years and it has gotten progessively worse in the last two years. If I thought I could get a decent price for my house, I'd sell it and get out of West Sac. But who will buy with that going on? I used to be proud to live in "old downtown" West Sacramento. But all the city money seems to be being spent south of the barge canal. Or around Raley Field. Something needs to be done. The police drive through at least once a week. But those people somehow know when the police are coming and disappear! It has got to stop!

ANITA HARRINGTON
West Sacramento

Investigating police

Many cities across the US, like West Sacramento, often block investigations with the help of district attorneys like Jeff Reisig of Yolo County and the Yolo County Grand Jury. Most unlawful acts of the police do not culminate in murder.

Asking law enforcement to investigate their friends and comrades in arms is like asking a group of crocodiles to investigate the murder of a zebra on the riverbanks. West Sacramento PD knew about Sergio Alvarez's unlawful acts for over a year and covered it up, per Mrs. Alvarez. First, a fair hearing of the citizens grievance process now I am denied entry into the elections process. I have served my country and served the state honorably. When will I be heard?

ROBB WHITE
West Sacramento

Seawater for fires

We have fire districts in the area who've lost thousands of gallons of water to vandals and thieves, and water districts throughout the state whose infrastructure is so dilapidated, that one broken main wastes millions of gallons of "the lifeblood of California."

Salt water intrusion into our estuaries in the Delta is an environmental concern that is a serious threat to the healthy sustainability of both fish and game, etc. Salt water on most terrestrial plants will, in a great enough quantity, kill them.

Yet I foresee an unforeseen light at the end of this dismal tunnel; pump, pipe and/or transport by railroad tank car, salt water to urban fire districts for firefighting. Yes, you may lose your lawn, but there may be enough water left over to save your home.

J. BESHARIAN
West Sacramento

POLICE LOG from page one

Aug. 29, 9:49 p.m.
A Franklin Way man asked to place a neighbor under citizen's arrest for loud music. Police took a report.

Aug. 29, 10:30 p.m.
Someone shattered a window on a car parked on Waterfront Place and then stole a woman's messenger bag from inside. The bag contained a computer "thumb drive," or USB drive.

Aug. 30, 1:06 a.m.
A police chase in Southport managed to cover 9.5 miles in about six minutes, ending with the assistance of a Sacramento sheriff's helicopter and its spotlight.

A West Sacramento officer reported spotting a 25-year old Fraser Island Road man riding his Kawasaki motorcycle above the speed limit southbound on Jefferson Boulevard. The officer tried to pull the bike over, using lights and a siren, but the rider sped away, reaching speeds of up to 120 miles per hour on the 45 mile per hour road. The chase continued throughout Southport, at speeds of 70-110 m.p.h., with the rider showing "willful and wanton disregard for persons or property."

When the helicopter joined the chase, it put the spotlight on the fleeing biker along eastbound Southport Parkway.

"Shortly after (he) noticed the spotlight shining down on him, he pulled the motorcycle over," reported the officer.

"After being arrested, (he) advised that he fled on the motorcycle because he did not want to get a speeding ticket."

Aug. 30, 12:30 p.m.
The catalytic converter was reported stolen off of a Toyota Tundra parked on Guadalupe Street.

Aug. 30, 2 p.m.
A catalytic converter was reported stolen off of a Toyota Sequoia parked on La Jolla Street.

Aug. 30, 6:04 p.m.
An officer saw three subjects, one of whom was riding a bike against traffic, near the west end of West Capitol. The rider was identified, and reported that he had just been released from jail and also that he knew he should be riding on the other side of the street.

The man consented to a search. The officer asked him about a bulge under his waistband – and whether the man was carrying weapons or drugs. To this, the man "stayed quiet."

The officer retrieved a knife with a "makeshift sheath" from under the man's waistbaned. The subject said he carried it for "protection," as he had been in a fight lately. Further searching turned up some methamphetamine in the man's possession. He went to jail.

Aug. 30
An Oak Street woman asked an acquaintance to watch her home while she was out of town. The acquaintance "hosted a large party in which one person was assaulted."

Aug. 30, 5:40 p.m.
A 22-year old female student left her laptop briefly unattended inside a West Capitol Avenue fast food restaurant. When she returned, the $350 device was gone.

Aug. 31, 12:10 a.m.
Near Sacramento and Bryte avenues:

A 41-year old Dobros Drive woman "jumped into a vehicle where the driver did not know her."

A responding officer arrested the woman for public drunkenness.

Aug. 31, 12:29 a.m.
An officer found a 26-year old A Street man leaving the scene of a reported "vehicle theft in progress." The man matched the description of the suspect. He also had a warrant, and was arrested.

Aug. 31, 4:30 a.m.
A Davis woman left her shopping cart unattended at a Riverpoint Court store. Someone stole her wallet and cell phone from it. In addition to the Blackberry and wallet, she lost $17 in cash.

Aug. 31
An officer contacted a 48-year old homeless man at the boat ramp on 4th Street.

He "had a loaded hypodermic needle in front of his person on top of the public park bench," the officer noted. The man was then arrested on the drug charge.

After being read his rights, the suspect explained that "he was going to inject the methamphetamine, but was distracted because he was playing with a lottery ticket in his hands prior to the officer's arrival."

Aug. 31, 9:45 a.m.
Police responded to an alarm coming from a Bridge Street construction site. They found a man trespassing and shooting an "Air Soft" gun. The man voluntarily surrendered two such guns and a carton of BBs. He was released; the property was booked for destruction.

Aug. 31, 10:19 a.m.
A patrol officer saw a Mazda with a malfunctioning center brake light at Sacramento Avenue and Jefferson Boulevard, initiating a vehicle stop.

The 25-year old 4th Street man behind the wheel was on searchable probation. When asked if he had anything illegal, the man said he had some "weed" in a dash console.

The officer found the baggie and "discovered it contained a white crystal-like substance consistent with the appearance of methamphetamine." The man was arrested.

Aug. 31, 2:11 p.m.
A citizen flagged down a police officer regarding a white iPhone he found near B Street. The phone was passcode-locked, and the owner's ID could not immediately be determined. The phone was booked for safekeeping.

Aug. 31, 6:26 p.m.
A Sacramento reported he was missing a Samsung cell phone, and it had been electronically tracked to the area of 1200 West Capitol Avenue in West Sacramento. Local police were not able to find it. The phone was worth about $600.

Aug. 31, 7:22 p.m.
A 35-year old Sacramento man reported he had been assaulted by an unknown male at the boat ramp near 4th Street.

Aug. 31, 7:14 p.m.
Store security detained a Rancho Cordova man for trying to shoplift a tent from a Riverpoint Court store.

Sept. 1, 9 a.m.
A police officer contacted a 47-year old Hobson Avenue man for having an open container of alcohol along Sacramento Avenue. The man was arrested on a warrant.

Sept. 1, 12 p.m.
A 34-year old man returned to his Bridgeway Lakes Drive house to find a $500 propane grill missing from his backyard.

Sept. 1, 10 p.m.
A man flagged down an officer near Poplar and West Capitol avenues. He said he had found a backpack at a bus stop near Fulton and Marconi in Sacramento. In it were a woman's ID, toiletries, clothing and an iPod with its serial number scratched off. The man said he went to the Poplar Avenue address listed on the ID and knocked on the door, but got no answer.

An officer found no phone number listed for the woman, but found a possible phone number listed for the address. He called and left a message about the backpack. The woman was not listed as having reported a theft.

Sept. 2, 1:36 a.m.
A stolen car was recovered at Park and Jefferson boulevards. Police found a San Pablo woman near the scene and recorded her identity as an "investigative lead."

MUSIC from page one

that it permeates all aspects of their lives."

Why teach music?

"Where do I start?," Marvelli responded. "It begins with the individual. Musical training has vast positive effects on the developing brain which leads to improved school behavior and study habits, even staving off symptoms of Alzheimer's disease. In addition, being a part of a school band teaches kids practical skills such as punctuality, appropriate attire and behavior. A band also serves as a microcosm of society – with democratic rule-making, establishment of leaders and followers, teamwork for improvement, and emphasizes the value of each role in the successful and smooth operation of the whole group."

In the short four years that Marvelli has been at River City, the music-culture of the school has grown and he plans on supporting that growth throughout the school, district, and community.

Many of West Sacramento's leaders have the common thread of a musical background. Perhaps coincidence, but more likely an indicator of the connection between music and leadership. Kids that played in their school bands are now mayors, supervisors, councilmembers, and school board members. Those creative and collaborative kids grew into adults that use those skills to work with diverse groups of people to better their community. Marvelli hopes to foster this civic engagement and leadership in his students. In addition to the beautiful music created by teamwork, "the overwhelming sense of community that is felt creates this sense of being a part of the same organism. It's really extraordinary to get that feeling," he says in a passionate and persuasive tone.

Together with local leaders, Marvelli worked create the new K-8 Visual and Performing Arts Program being implemented this fall. "This program will get our kids into music and the arts earlier than ever and serve as a successful feeder program for the high school."

He hopes to work with West Sacramento's leaders to create a local musical festival which would include the school bands, other local bands, as well as the myriad cultural and religious bands from the area – Russian, Mexican, Muslim, and Sikh.

"This would showcase our local talent and cultivate an understanding and appreciation of many cultures and demonstrate the overlap in music styles, texture, and instrumentation there is among our diverse community groups," he said.

For more information on events and performances or to make a contribution, visit the website at www.rivercityregiment.com and for regular updates, "like" them on Facebook.

Christian Brothers beats RCHS varsity in football opening game

River City High School's 2014 football season opened on Friday, with a non-conference game in West Sacramento against visiting Christian Brothers.

Christian Brothers put 28 points on the board in the first quarter while cruising to a 56-7 win in the varsity match-up.

River City won the J.V. matchup 36-0.

River Cats season ends

From the River Cats

The Sacramento River Cats' (79-65) season came to an end on Monday afternoon as they fell to the Reno Aces (81-63) by a score of 2-1 in ten innings at Raley Field, failing to make the playoffs for the second-consecutive season. Reno advances to their second playoff berth in the last three years and will play the Las Vegas 51s in a five-game series in the Pacific Conference Championship starting Wednesday in Las Vegas.

The River Cats had an opportunity in tenth inning to do some damage with runners on first and second with one out, but an inning-ending double play by Daric Barton ended the threat and the game.

Sacramento right-handed starter Arnold Leon (10-7, 4.97 ERA) pitched admirably in the regular-season finale, giving up just one run on five hits and one walk while striking out three in a no-decision. Seth Frankoff and Phil Humber each pitched a shutout inning with a strikeout. McBryde took the loss.

Peterson ended the game 2-for-4 with a run and Barton finished 1-for-3 with two walks for the River Cats.

The River Cats finished 2014 with their twelfth-consecutive winning season and 14th winning season in franchise history. Sacramento also led the Pacific Coast league in average attendance (8,578) and total attendance (617,627) for the second-straight season.

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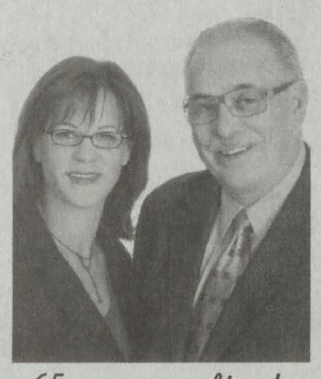
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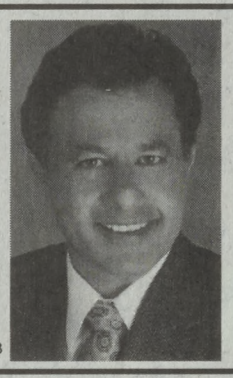

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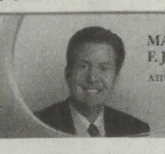
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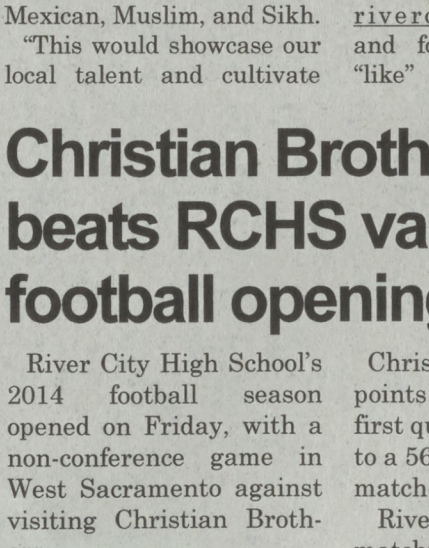
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GODZILLA

PICKS OF THE WEEK

"The Fault In Our Stars" (PG-13) -- Hazel (Shailene Woodley) is a smart, cool, wisecracking teenage girl living with metastasized thyroid cancer. Her parents push her into attending a support group for teenagers facing illness, where she meets Gus (Ansel Elgort), a tall older boy who falls instantly in love with her steadfast, sardonic attitude. It's funny and sad and charming, all while staying out of the Super Sappy Melodrama Danger Zone.

Based on the bestselling novel by John Green, this film adaptation works for audiences outside of the usual young-adult demographic. Woodley's young career is launching into the stratosphere, as this is her second praised performance in a YA blockbuster (she was the heroine of "Divergent" back in the spring). It may not work for everyone, but this tear-jerker stands out as better than most.

"Godzilla" (PG-13) -- The King of Monsters returns, and he's playing opposite the intensity of Bryan Cranston. When an earthquake causes a Japanese nuclear reactor to melt down, Cranston's character becomes convinced that the authorities are hiding something at the plant, something terrifying and destructive. He lost his wife in the meltdown, so he's written off as a hysteric. The ensuing chaos of monster vs. military and monster vs. monster is loaded with awesomeness and sympathy.

Godzilla fans will (mostly) be pleased with the depiction of the big guy. Unlike a blurry mess of graphics like the Transformers, he's quite a sight, and you can actually take in the visual splendor. He's also the film's anti-hero. However, director Gareth Edwards doesn't give the lizard a ton of screen time. Edwards comes from the school of directors who don't show the monster right away, letting things build up the right way.

"Think Like a Man Too" (R) -- The cast of couples from the first movie take a trip to Las Vegas for a wedding and more comedy from Kevin Hart. The group of friends splits up by gender to see who can have the better night on the town, the guys or the ladies. All kinds of relationship issues come up: parenting, jealousy, trust, pre-relationship history, etc. The real payoff is, once again, Hart's comedic energy, which propels the film.

"The German Doctor" (R) -- In a sunny spot of Argentina, a family hosts a German doctor seeking a quiet life after the war. What the family doesn't know is that this man is Josef Mengele, the infamous war criminal known for the atrocities he committed in Nazi concentration camps. The family welcomes him, and he takes a keen interest in their young daughter -- specifically her height and bodily development. The tensions creep up your spine as the family slowly unravels this stranger.

TV RELEASES

"Big Bang Theory: Season 7"
"Castle: Season 6"
"Bones: Season 9"
"Sleepy Hollow Season 1"
"Arrow: Season 2"
"Grimm: Season 3"

Books

"Off the Leash: A Year at the Dog Park"
by Matthew Gilbert
(Thomas Dunne Books, $25.99)
Reviewed by Larry Cox

Anyone who has ever been owned by a dog will appreciate this delightful new book. When Boston Globe TV critic Matthew Gilbert began sharing his life with a Yellow Lab named Toby, certain adjustments had to be made. One of those adjustments was frequent visits to his local dog park.

Gilbert -- who describes himself as basically an indoor guy, regularly connected to his TV and computer, and steeped in the visual, digital world -- had to rethink his daily life, and sharing it with a canine was not an easy transition. He soon discovered Amory Park, overlooking Boston, and quickly became acquainted with the dog-park subculture.

His routine changed in ways he had never imagined. Instead of finding an iPhone in his pocket, he was more likely to discover broken dog biscuits. His daily life was swept up in the chaotic energy of dogs and their owners, both species which seemed to gather in packs.

His visits to Armory Park were not always a walk in the park. For example, when dogs fight, their owners have been known to bare their teeth at each other, too. As dogs chase each other, steal each other's toys and occasionally act up, people sometimes are even less controlled than in the more civilized parts of their lives. Gilbert claims that in a dog park, feelings surface faster ... unedited. In other words, the owners often are off their leashes, too.

Gilbert was especially surprised to find that his adventures with Toby at the dog park made him more spontaneous and, yes, playful. When he let go of Toby's leash, he also allowed himself to let go.

This is a heart-warming, humorous book that connects on several levels. It is the first look at dog parks and the part they play in the lives of both humans and their four-legged companions.

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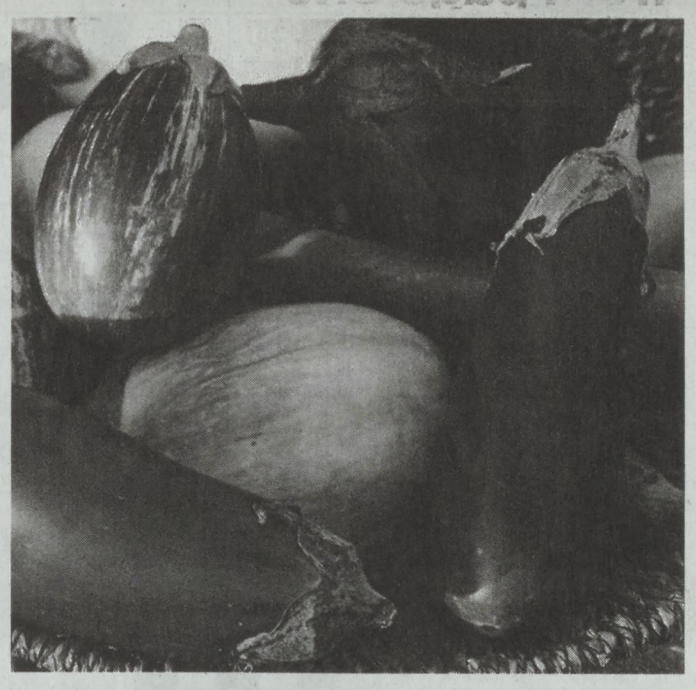

A Good Egg

Sometimes a food becomes so associated with a particular cuisine that it develops an identity problem. While it's true that some fruits and vegetables are mainstays of certain cultures, many foods call multiple places home and are used in dishes that span the globe. Eggplant has a strong connection to the sustenance of Italy and has been a celebrated part of its cuisine and a subject of myths for centuries.

A starting point in dispelling the myths is that eggplant is not native to Italy or the Mediterranean, but to India. It also has been part of the African diet for hundreds of years. One relative of the eggplant we know is a variety grown there called Garden Eggs, which produces a small white fruit that looks very much like eggs, hence the name. Also surprising, the leading producer and consumer of eggplant today is China.

Yet another misconception about this wonderful vegetable is that it is really a fruit. Eggplant actually is a member of the nightshade family. Foods from this plant family contain substances called alkaloids. Alkaloids have been known to have adverse effects on the digestive tract. But alkaloid content in nightshade plants, which include potatoes, tomatoes and sweet and hot peppers, is extremely low. It probably contributed, though, to concerns long ago about whether the eggplant should be eaten at all.

The eggplant has the same health benefits found in all nightshade plants, which are antioxidant compounds. Studies now suggest that these compounds might aid in reducing blood cholesterol. Eggplant also is low in calories, and is an excellent source of potassium and fiber.

When we think of eggplant, we may think of it breaded, fried and topped with Parmesan cheese and tomato sauce. But eggplant is not a one-dish wonder; it has a repertoire that highlights a myriad of flavors and preparations.

In the end, eggplant is a delicious food that when properly cooked has a mild flavor and creamy texture, with noted nutritional perks. Eggplant is so wonderful that it easily can be the star of a dish. While you may occasionally get a bitter eggplant, smart shopping and the right cooking techniques will guard against that.

Choose small and firm fruit when buying eggplant to ensure against bitterness. Many varieties have an inherent mild sweetness, such as the Japanese and white Rosa Bianca.

Another method to combat any bitterness is to salt it 30 minutes before cooking to extract any liquid and then rinsing off the excess salt. If you're using eggplant in a baked recipe, you may not need to salt or rinse as any excess liquid will evaporate in the oven. This recipe for Eggplant French Fries puts a unique twist on this delicious vegetable and makes a healthier substitute for traditional French fries.

EGGPLANT FRENCH FRIES

2 medium to large eggplants, peeled
1 tablespoon salt (for salting eggplant to extract liquids), plus 1/2 teaspoon salt for seasoning
1 cup milk
2 eggs
1 1/2 teaspoons ground black pepper
1 cup flour
3 teaspoons Ranch Salad Dressing & Seasoning Mix
1 cup Panko bread crumbs
1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper
1/2 cup canola or vegetable oil
1/2 cup Parmesan cheese, shredded, optional

1. Slice the eggplant into 3/4-inch sticks, about 4 inches long. Use 1 tablespoon of salt on both sides of the eggplant sticks and place them on paper towels to drain for 30 minutes. Rinse, pat dry.

2. In a medium bowl, mix milk, eggs, 1/8 teaspoon salt and 1/2 teaspoon pepper until well-blended. Combine flour and dressing mix in a wide, shallow bowl. In another wide, shallow bowl, combine the Panko bread crumbs, 1/8 teaspoon salt, the remaining 1 teaspoon pepper and the 1/4 teaspoon cayenne pepper.

3. Heat oil in frying pan on high heat. Dip eggplant sticks into egg mixture and then flour mix, and then in the Panko breadcrumbs. Place in oil, flipping regularly, and fry 3 minutes or until golden brown. Drain on paper towels. Sprinkle with remaining 1/4 teaspoon salt and the Parmesan cheese, if desired. Serve immediately. Serves 4.

Comics & Puzzles

Super Crossword

Answers

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Weekly SUDOKU

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FAMOUS STREETS

DIFFERENCES: 1. Shade is moved. 2. Shirt is different. 3. Picture is missing. 4. Dish is smaller. 5. Collar is different. 6. Pot is missing.

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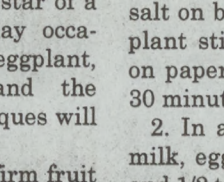
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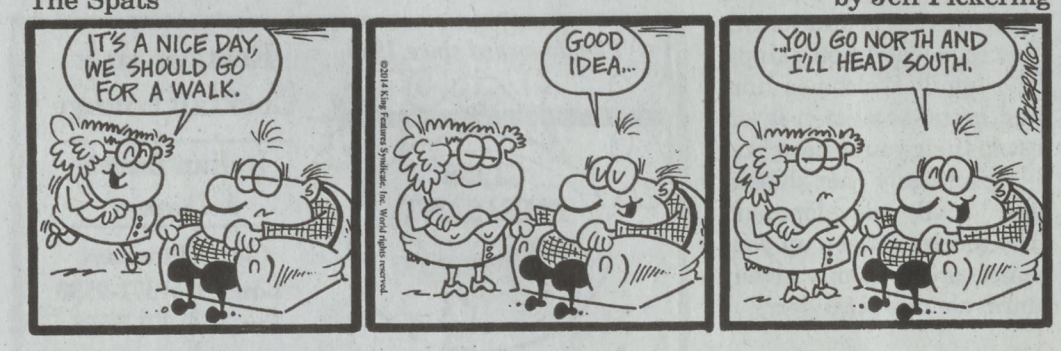

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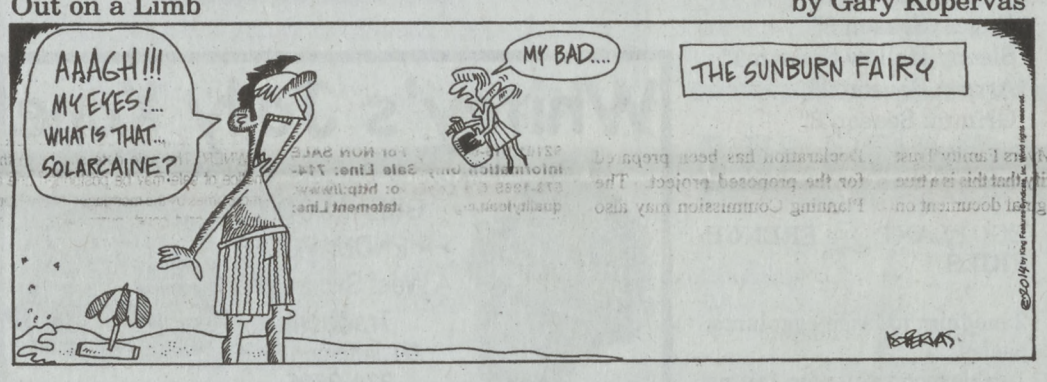

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Super Crossword — LET EM IN

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5 Bus. bigwig
8 Like an uncaught escapee
15 NBA's Yao
19 Pasta in tubular form
21 Check cashers, e.g.
22 Mélange
23 Racing dog is puzzling?
25 Wife in "The Good Earth"
26 — Hawkins dance
27 Fido's "Back off!"
28 Honeycomb insect
29 Fight ender
30 In a peculiar way
33 Lavish combination of ingredients blended in advance?
36 "So Big" writer Ferber
40 Across the ocean, to a Brit
42 Beginner
43 S&L accrual
44 Playthings used as tribal emblems?
47 Part of the plot of
49 Singer Lennox
50 "Disco" guy on "The Simpsons"
51 S. Amer. country
54 Stare intently
57 1993 Timothy Hutton thriller
60 Humiliate actor Sheen?
64 Boston Red —
65 In the past, in the past
68 Root beer brand
69 Chicks' cries
70 Downgrading mothers and fathers?
74 With 75-Down, former giant in gas
77 Last exam
78 TV's Ward
79 — choy
82 Unwashed footballers?
85 Preachy talk
88 ATM hole
89 "At Last" singer James
90 Operatives' org.
93 Heart, e.g.
94 Sedgwick of "The Closer"
96 Send playwright Terrence back into custody?
101 Lime drink
103 Nano, e.g.
106 "Ferris Bueller's Day Off" actress
107 Mini-plateau
108 Bunny's thigh bone?
111 Fails to put in
113 Singer Billy Ray —
114 To and —
115 Elected officials
116 Kind of steak
121 Genesis murder victim
122 Ousting journalist?
127 Bargain buy
128 Resulting (from)
129 Diner freebie
130 Small whirlpool
131 Basic nature
132 Ship's front
133 Covers with turf

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1 Units of work
2 Turkish coin
3 Grew older
4 "How — help you?"
5 Cattle sound
6 Prey for lions
7 Little circles
8 Shortened wd.
9 Simple shirt
10 Flee quickly
11 Caribbean island
12 Take offense at
13 Avaricious
14 Suffix with seer
15 Mary Tyler — 16 Light up
17 B vitamin
18 Have the subsequent turn
20 Lt. Kojak on "Kojak"
24 Wood decay
29 1982 Jeff Bridges film
31 "Yabba dabba —!"
32 TiVo, e.g.
33 "Aw, shucks"
34 Slam into
35 Father of Paris
36 The Dakotas, e.g., in Dijon
37 "Tiny Bubbles" singer
38 Baby Bell phone co.
39 — were
41 With 45-Down, stallion breeding charge
45 See 41-Down
46 Held to be
48 Cruel types
52 Corps core
53 Sick
55 Mailing code
56 Nav. off.
58 Gp. dues-payer
59 Gain
61 USA's bird
62 GPS image
63 Appropriate
66 Act miserly
67 Tone deafness
70 Simple song
71 "Tarzan" star Ron
72 "Rambo" site, briefly
73 No, in Falkirk
74 ER VIPs
75 See 74-Across
76 Ate together
79 Bull elk's call
80 Exam types
81 Nairobi's nation
83 Jumped
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95 Social reformer Jacob
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98 Former space station
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100 Puma, say
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102 Couch to sit or sleep on
104 Proposes
105 True skin
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110 Large deer
112 Store (away)
115 "Picnic" playwright William
117 Bikini components
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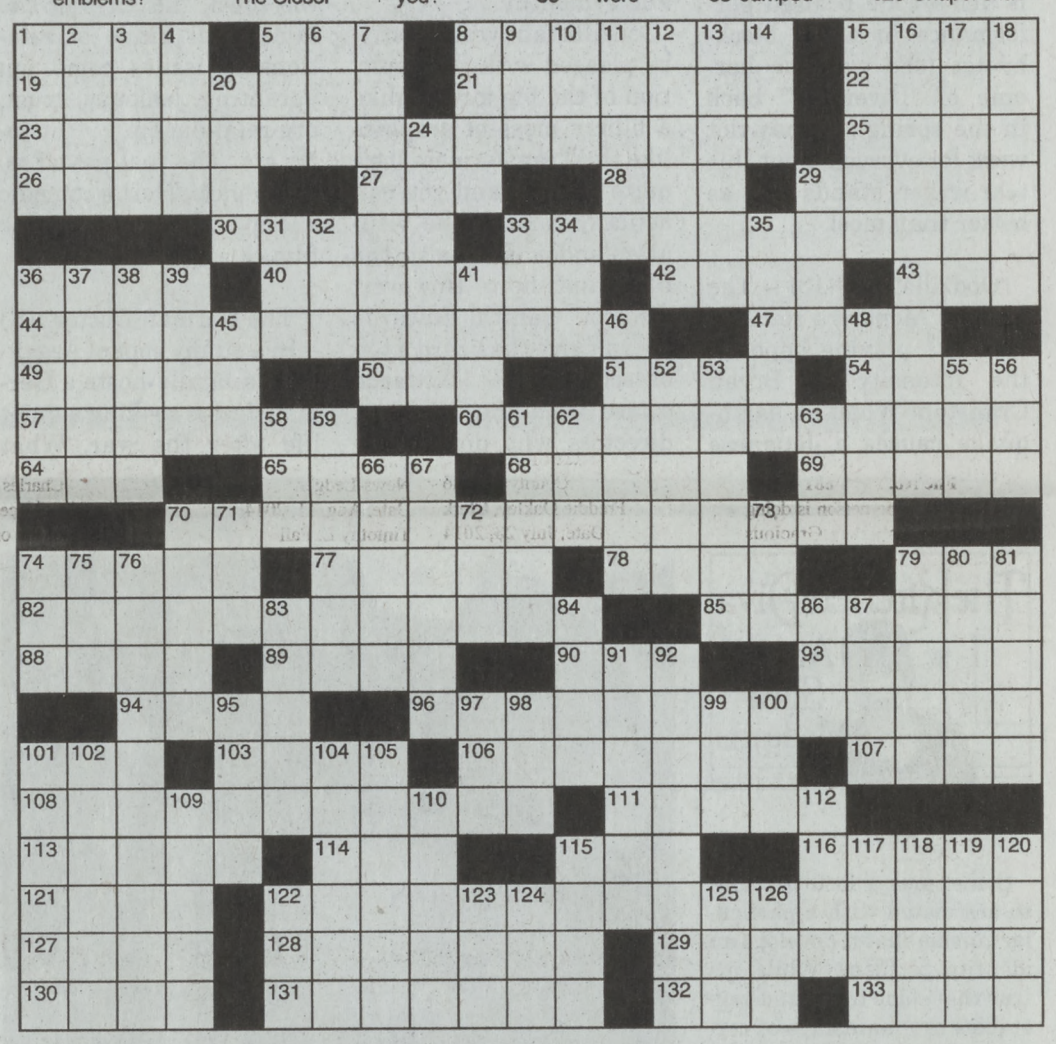

GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

DIFFICULTY: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Difficult ★★★ GO FIGURE!

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MAGIC MAZE ● FAMOUS STREETS

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

CAN YOU TRUST YOUR EYES? There are at least six differences in drawing details between top and bottom panels. How quickly can you find them?

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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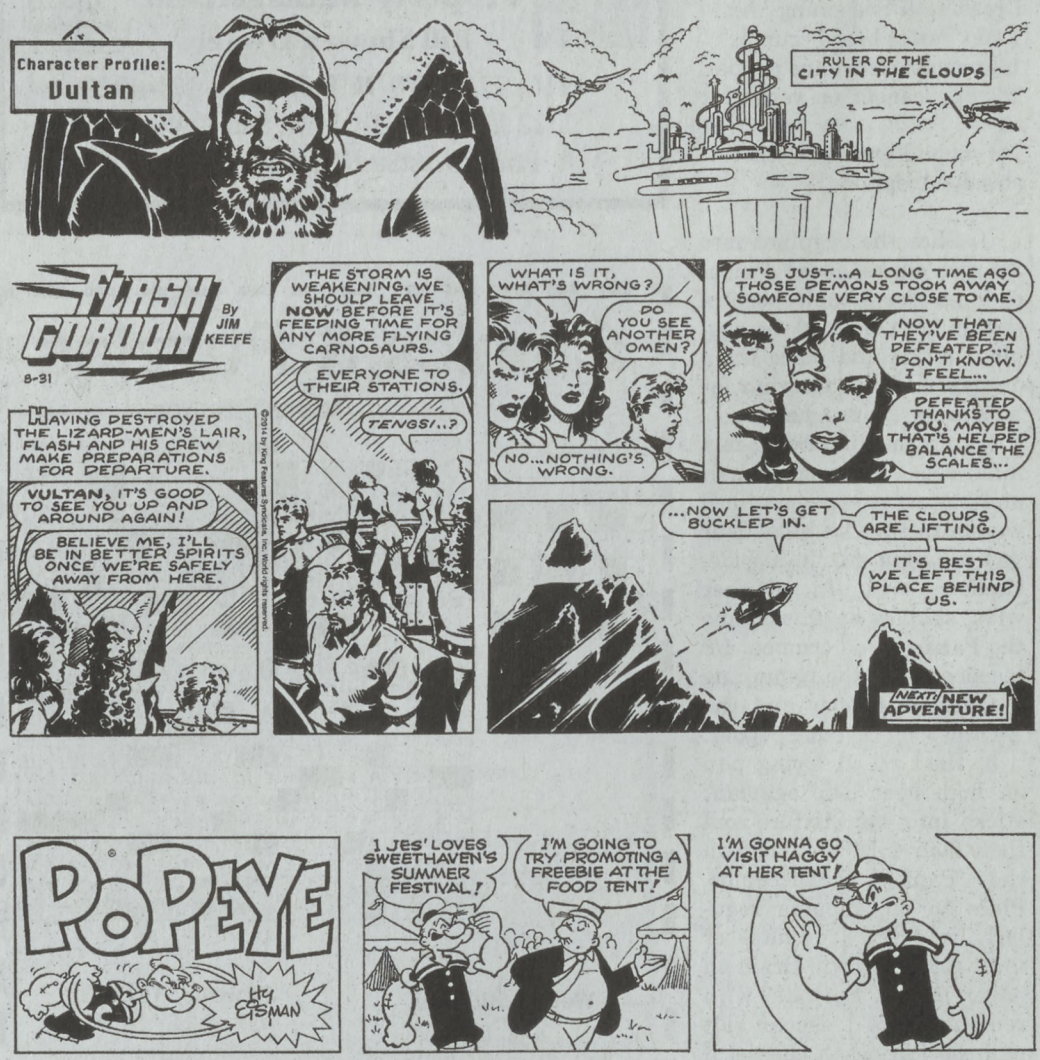

Statement of Abandonment of Use of Fictitious Business Name
Yolo County Clerk/Recorder
Filed Aug 13, 2014
FBN Number 2011-612

The person or entity listed below is abandoning the use of the following fictitious business name: Union Taxi; Yellow Cab Co. of Sacramento, 900 Richards Blvd., Sacramento CA 95811-0317.

Yellow Cab Co. of Sacramento, same address.

This business was conducted by a Corporation. Corporation name: Yellow Cab Co. of Sacramento, 900 Richards Blvd., Sacramento CA 95811-0317, Sacramento County

/s/Kenneth Plaines, VP

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 13, 2014
/s/Josephine Acevedo, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 7, 2014
File No. 2014-683

The following person is doing business as C&H Orchard III, 2960 County Rd 89, Dunnigan, CA 95937, in Yolo County.

William L. Cutter and Gary Henderson, same address as above.

This business is conducted by a Limited Partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2009.

/s/William L. Cutter

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 7, 2014
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 6, 2014
File No. 2014-681

The following person is doing business as Fabiola's Gracious Cleaning, 3428 Evergreen Circle Apt 2, W. Sacramento CA 95691, in Yolo County.

Fabioloa Silva, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

/s/Fabiola Silva

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 6, 2014
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed June 16, 2014
File No. 2014-548

The following person is doing business as Gauchito Hill Farm, 9833 Hwy 16, Brooks CA 95606, in Yolo County.

Aldo Andres Marega and Thea Rittenhouse, 27390 C.R. 17, Esparto CA 95627.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/2014.

/s/Thea Rittenhouse
/s/Aldo Andres Marega

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: June 16, 2014
/s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
PT14-1122
PETITION OF Christina Ann Kammerer on behalf of Christa Rose Kammerer, Angela Zoie Kammerer, minors FOR CHANGE OF NAME

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner Christina Ann Kammerer on behalf of Christa Rose Kammerer, Angela Zoie Kammerer, minors filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: Christina Ann Kammerer; Proposed name: Christina Ann Banuelos.

Present name: Christa Rose Kammerer; Proposed name: Christa Rose Banuelos.

Present name: Angela Zoie Kammerer; Proposed name: Angela Zoie Banuelos.

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING: Sept. 16, 2014, at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 2, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 725 Court St., Woodland CA 95695.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: The News-Ledger. Must serve petition on Lanny Kammerer, father of minors.

Date: July 30, 2014
Timothy L. Fall
Judge of the Superior Court

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed July 28, 2014
File No. 2014-658

The following person is doing business as Todd's Quality Maintenance, 1110 Bello Drive, Dixon CA 95620, in Yolo County.

Todd Kosiewicz, 1110 Bello Drive, Dixon CA 95620.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 7/22/14.

/s/Todd Kosiewicz

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: July 28, 2014
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 25, 2014
File No. 2014-730

The following person is doing business as Plug and Jug Market, 9425 Locust St., Knights Landing CA, in Yolo County.

Zaildaar Enterprises Corp., 9425 Locust St., Knights Landing CA 95645.

This business is conducted by a Corporation.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

/s/Gurshan Grewal, CEO

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 25, 2014
/s/Josie Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug. 19, 2014
File No. 2014-707

The following person is doing business as Atlantis Diving & Salvage Co., 1045-D Triangle Ct., West Sacramento CA 95605, in Yolo County.

Gary L. Borton, 2535 La France Dr., Carmichael CA 95608.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/1981.

/s/Gary L. Borton

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 19, 2014
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed July 31, 2014
File No. 2014-669

The following person is doing business as OkabashiAfrica, 1028 Bienville St., Davis CA 95616, in Yolo County.

Elijah Davis, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

/s/Elijah Davis

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: July 31, 2014
/s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME
PT14-1290
PETITION OF Robert Littlefield FOR CHANGE OF NAME

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Petitioner Robert Littlefield filed a petition with this court for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name: Michael William Hollis-Littlefield; Proposed name: Michael William Littlefield.

THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter shall appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING: Sept. 23, 2014, at 9:00 a.m. in Dept. 2, Superior Court of California, County of Yolo, 725 Court St., Woodland CA 95695.

A copy of this Order to Show Cause shall be published at least once each week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition in the following newspaper of general circulation, printed in this county: West Sacramento News-Ledger.

Date: Aug. 11, 2014
Timothy L. Fall
Judge of the Superior Court

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell, to satisfy lien of the owner, at public sale by competitive bidding on September 16, 2014 at 2:15 PM at the Extra Space Storage facility located at:
975 F St.
W. Sacramento CA, 95605
(916) 372-7427

The personal goods stored therein by the following may include, but are not limited to general household, furniture, boxes, clothes, and appliances.

George Munoz, Clintock Garlinger, Daryl Mills, Edward Callaway, Cheryl Baker.

Purchases must be made with cash only and paid at the time of sale. All goods are sold as is and must be removed at the time of purchase. Extra Space Storage reserves the right to refuse any bid. Sale is subject to adjournment.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed July 31, 2014
File No. 2014-669

The following person is doing business as OkabashiAfrica, 1028 Bienville St., Davis CA 95616, in Yolo County.

Elijah Davis, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

/s/Elijah Davis

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 26, 2014
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed July 24, 2014
File No. 2014-426

The following person is doing business as CHICKPEAS, 640 West Covell Blvd., Davis CA 95616, in Yolo County.

Sonia Passi, 1503 Union Dr., Davis CA 95616, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 7/24/2014.

/s/Sonia Passi

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: July 24, 2014
/s/Josephine Acevedo, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 21, 2014
File No. 2014-721

The following person is doing business as Harbor Winery, 610 Harbor Blvd., West Sacramento CA 95691, in Yolo County.

Charles H. Myers, Trustee, 1509 Virginia Ave., West Sacramento CA 95691; Margaret K. Myers, Trustee, 2739 6th Ave., Sacramento CA 95818.

This business is conducted by a Trust.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on N/A.

/s/Charles H. Myers
/s/Margaret K. Myers
Charles Myers Family Trust

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 21, 2014
/s/Lupe Ramirez, Deputy Clerk

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 29, 2014
File No. 2014-748

The following person is doing business as START LTD, 3427 Evergreen Cir. #26, West Sacramento CA 95691, in Yolo County.

Natalya Yengalycheva, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/28/2014.

/s/Natalya Yengalycheva

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 29, 2014
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk

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NOTICE OF NOMINEES FOR PUBLIC OFFICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following persons have been nominated for the offices designated to be filled at the Gubernatorial General Municipal Election to be held in the City of West Sacramento on Tuesday, November 4, 2014:

For Mayor; Vote for One

Christopher L. Cabaldon, Narinder Pal Singh Hundal

For Member of the City Council; Vote for Two

Nancy Heth-Tran, Mark Johannessen, Christopher T. Ledesma, Jeff Lyon

/s/ Kryss Rankin, City Clerk
Dated: September 3, 2014

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NOTICE OF HEARING
September 18, 2014

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider the following matters on Thursday, September 18, 2014, at the West Sacramento Civic Center, City Council Chambers, 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, California, at the times as specified or as soon thereafter as the matters may be heard:

6:00 p.m.

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Minor Map Modification to River Glen Estates Tentative Subdivision Map No. 4857 (Allen)

The applicant is requesting a minor map modification to waive a condition of approval for the project regarding undergrounding of utilities along Marshall Road. The project site is zoned Rural Residential (RRA) and is located at 3245 Marshall Road (APN 045-260-007-000). APPLICANT/OWNER: Dana Vaynberg, 3720 Bridgeway Lakes Drive, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

2. Public Workshop Regarding the Promenade Vesting Tentative Subdivision Map No. 5059, Conditional Use Permit and Planned Development Permit (White)

The applicant is seeking approval of a vesting tentative subdivision map, conditional use permit and planned development permit for 18.3± acres located south and east of Southport Parkway and west of the Savannah Apartments. The project site is zoned High Density Residential (R-3). The vesting tentative map would create 223 single lots, private alleys and streets and common areas. The conditional use permit is required because single family homes are conditional uses in the R-3 zone. A planned development permit is required for exceptions to various development standards including minimum lot size, setbacks, floor area ratio and open space requirements. Typical lot sizes would be 26 feet by 74 feet. Zero lot line plotting is proposed as provided for in the Southport Design Guidelines. APPLICANT: Mandarich Developments, 4740 Rocklin Road, Rocklin, CA 95677. OWNER: Southport Business Park Land Fund X, LLC, 1301 Dove Street, Suite 860, Newport Beach, CA 92660.

3. Continued Public Hearing Regarding Crown Castle Conditional Use Permit No. 14-02 (Allen)

The applicant is requesting approval of a Conditional Use Permit for construction of a 125-foot tall wireless facility and associated equipment shelters. The project would be located at 1245 Linden Road. The General Plan Designation is Rural Residential (RR) and the property is zoned Rural Residential (RRA). A Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared for the proposed project. The Planning Commission may also consider a statutory exemption. OWNER: John Sneed, 1245 Linden Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691. APPLICANT: Crown Castle, Attn: Tim Page, 4301 Hacienda Drive, Suite 410, Pleasanton, CA 94588.

David Tilley, Secretary
West Sacramento Planning Commission

If you disagree with the decision of the planning commission, you have a right of appeal. Only persons who participated in the review process by submitting written testimony or oral testimony at the public hearing, may appeal. Appeals are limited to those issues raised at the planning commission meeting. If you challenge any of the above items in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the City of West Sacramento at, or prior to, the public hearing.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. **CA-13-549020-AL** Order No.: **1429628** (Pursuant to Cal. Civ. Code 2923.3) **YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 11/23/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.** A public auction sale to the highest bidder for cash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 to the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state, will be held by duly appointed trustee. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the accrued principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale. **BENEFICIARY MAY BID LESS THAN THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE.** Trustor(s): **RICHARD A. GORMAN AND BERNADINE G. GORMAN, HIS WIFE, AS JOINT TENANTS** Recorded: **11/30/2007** as Instrument No. **2007-0040176-00** of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of **YOLO** County, California; Date of Sale: **9/26/2014** at **12:45 PM** Place of Sale: **At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691** Amount of accrued balance and other charges: **$209,625.25** The purported property address is: **2132 MANCHESTER ST., WEST SACRAMENTO, CA 95691** **Legal Description: Please be advised that the legal description set forth on the Deed of Trust is in error. The legal description of the property secured by the Deed of Trust is more properly set forth and made part of Exhibit "A" as attached hereto.** Assessor's Parcel No. **045-041-001-000** The land referred to herein below is situated in the county of yolo, state of california, and is described as follows: Lot 26, arlington oaks unit one, according to the official map thereof filed for record in the office of the recorder of yolo county, california on october 23, 1952, in book 4 of maps at pages 49 and 50. **NOTICE TO POTENTIAL BIDDERS:** If you are considering bidding on this property lien, you should understand that there are risks involved in bidding at a trustee auction. You will be bidding on a lien, not on the property itself. Placing the highest bid at a trustee auction does not automatically entitle you to free and clear ownership of the property. You should also be aware that the lien being auctioned off may be a junior lien. If you are the highest bidder at the auction, you are or may be responsible for paying off all liens senior to the lien being auctioned off, before you can receive clear title to the property. You are encouraged to investigate the existence, priority, and size of outstanding liens that may exist on this property by contacting the county recorder's office or a title insurance company, either of which may charge you a fee for this information. If you consult either of these resources, you should be aware that the same lender may hold more than one mortgage or deed of trust on the property. **NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNER:** The sale date shown on this Notice of Sale may be postponed one or more times by the mortgagee, beneficiary, trustee, or a court, pursuant to Section 2924g of the California Civil Code. The law requires that information about trustee sale postponements be made available to you and to the public, as a courtesy to those not present at the sale. If you wish to learn whether your sale date has been postponed, and, if applicable, the rescheduled time and date for the sale of this property, you may call **714-573-1965** for information regarding the trustee's sale or visit this Internet Web site **http://www.qualityloan.com** , using the file number assigned to this foreclosure by the trustee: **CA-13-549020-AL**. Information about postponements that are very short in duration or that occur close in time to the scheduled sale may not immediately be reflected in the telephone information or on the Internet Web site. The best way to verify postponement information is to attend the scheduled sale. The undersigned trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the property address or other common designation, if any, shown herein. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale. **If the trustee is unable to convey title for any reason, the successful bidder's sole and exclusive remedy shall be the return of monies paid to the trustee, and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse. If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the mortgagor, the mortgagee, or the mortgagee's attorney.** If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. QUALITY MAY BE CONSIDERED A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. Date: **Quality Loan Service Corporation 2141 5th Avenue San Diego, CA 92101 619-645-7711 For NON SALE information only Sale Line: 714-573-1965 O r Login to: http://www.qualityloan.com Reinstatement Line: (866) 645-7711 Ext 5318** Quality Loan Service Corp. TS No.: **CA-13-549020-AL** IDSPub #0069941 8/27/2014 9/3/2014 9/10/2014
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 11, 2014
File No. 2014-690

The following person is doing business as The Hide Away, 312 Walnut St, Woodland CA 95695, in Yolo County.

Donald W. Feryance and Dana Feryance, 214 Buena Tierra Dr., Woodland CA 95695.

This business is conducted by a Married Couple.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/1/2014.

/s/Donald W. Feryance

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State of California
County of Yolo
Freddie Oakley, Clerk
Date: Aug 11, 2014
/s/Kimberli Quam, Deputy Clerk

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Trustee Sale No. 14-00086-2 Loan No: BEEBE APN 046-030-010-000 NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 3/17/2006. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER. On 9/16/2014, at 12:45 PM, At the north entrance to the West Sacramento City Hall located at 1110 West Capitol Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691, FIDELITY NATIONAL TITLE COMPANY, as the duly appointed Trustee, under and pursuant to the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust Recorded on 06/09/2006, as Instrument No. 2006-0022649-00 of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Yolo County, CA, executed by: BRENT BEEBE, as Trustor, in favor of MARY LOU SHERWIN, AS CO-TRUSTEE OF THE DONALD W. AND MARY LOU SHERWIN REVOCABLE TRUST, DECLARATION OF TRUST DATED MAY 24, 1990, AS COMMUNITY PROPERTY, as Beneficiary, and any modifications thereto are collectively referred to herein from time to time as the "Deed of Trust", WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, that certain property situated in said County, California describing the land therein as: SEE EXHIBIT "A" ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF EXHIBIT "A" THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE CITY OF WEST SACRAMENTO, COUNTY OF YOLO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: Parcel One: Parcel B of Conditional Certificate of Compliance recorded November 26, 1997, as Instrument No. 28979. All that portion of Swamp Land Survey No. 262 and Swamp Land Survey No. 306, Yolo County Surveys, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the original centerline of Linden Road as shown on the Official Plat of Linden Acres Subdivision recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Yolo County in Book 4 of Maps and Surveys, Page 10, from which point of beginning the Southwest corner of said Swamp Land Survey No. 262 bears the following two courses: North 66° 55' 20" West, 4310.00 feet and South 09° 22' 00" West 574.69 feet; thence from said point of beginning North 23° 04' 40" East 500.00 feet; thence South 66° 55' 20" East, 628.67 feet; thence South 23° 04' 40" West 500.00 feet to a point on the original center line of said Linden Road; thence along said centerline North 66° 55' 20" West 628.67 feet to the point of beginning. Excepting therefrom that portion thereof described in the Deed to the County of Yolo, recorded July 28, 1971 in Book 985 of Official Records at Page 339, Yolo County Records. APN: 046-030-010-000 Parcel Two: A non-exclusive easement for ingress and egress and passage of pedestrians and motor vehicles into, out of, on, over and across a strip of land 20 feet in width, the Southeasterly line of which is described as follows: Beginning at a point on the original centerline of Linden Road, as shown on the Official Plat of Linden Acres Subdivision, filed April 18, 1947 in Book 4 of Maps, Page 10, Yolo County Records, from which point of beginning the Southwest corner of said Swamp Land Survey No. 262 bears the following two courses: (1) North 66° 55' 20" West 4310.00 feet and (2) South 09° 22' 00" West 574.69 feet; thence from said point of beginning North 23° 04' 40" East 70.00 feet. 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American flags will again be on display.

Hispanic heritage

Celebrate Hispanic heritage month: school-age children are invited to a free program of bilingual songs and stories at 2 p.m. on Sept. 20 at the local library, 1212 Merkley Avenue.

Flu clinic

Flu season is not that far away.

The Yolo County Public Health Department will host a free flu shot clinic at Riverbend Manor, 664 Cummins Way, from 3-6 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 14.

Fight fraud

The local district attorney's office and other law enforcement professionals will host a "fraud awareness fair" from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Oct. 15 at the city hall galleria, 1110 West Capitol Avenue.

Volunteers on bikes

The West Sacramento Police Department is looking for VIPs, or "Volunteers in Policing," to patrol local streets on bike. The team will keep an eye on streets, trails, the boat ramp and parks, as well as special events such as the farmers market. VIPs will report suspicious activities and help prevent clime.

Uniforms and equipment provided. Call Martha Griffin, 617-4988.

All Charities Raffle

The annual "All Charities Raffle" has formed again under the "mother ship" of the West Sacramento Foundation this year. Many local sports leagues and nonprofits are participating. They're selling $10 raffle tickets (each group gets to keep $9 from each ticket) and ticket buyers will have a chance to win any of a big list of prizes, at a raffle on October 18.

The raffle will be part of a $5 spaghetti dinner served up by the Knights of Columbus from 5:30-7:30 p.m. on Oct. 18 at Our Lady of Grace School, 1990 Linden Road.

Prizes include a week-long stay in a condo in Puerto Rico, a week at a Puerto Rico condo, use of a large house on Lake Eaglebright, a $500 shopping spree at Ikea, use of a 20-person luxury suite at a River Cats game, a free Whitey's Jolly Kone hamburger combo every day for a year, a big screen TV, a personal brewing session at Yolo Brewery and more.

One of the participating charities, the West Sacramento Historical Society, is using its ticket proceeds to fund the preservation of News-Ledger archives on microfilm or digital media. They're at 374-1849.

For more raffle information, contact your favorite local charity or visit www.westsacfoundation.org.

Friends of the Poor

Holy Cross Catholic Church will bring back its "Friends of the Poor" fundraising walk on September 20. You're invited to get a team together and raise some pledge money to help the needy. Visit http://ourladyofgrace-svdp.blogspot.com and look for the link.

Class of '63

James Marshall High School Class of 1963 plans an alumni gathering on Oct. 15 at 11 a.m. at Sam's Hof Brau, 2500 Watt Avenue in Sacramento. RSVP to Karen Whiteside, (707) 678-4968. This June, the Class of 1963 awarded five $500 scholarships to outstanding grads at River City High School, collected from funds accumulated by the class's reunion committee.

Rummage sale

Find some nice goods and support the St. Vincent de Paul Society's charity work. Visit a rummage sale from 8-noon on Sat., Sept. 6, at the Our Lady of Grace Church, 911 Park Blvd. For information, call Mona at 214-9941.

Donate household goods

The St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store truck will accept donations of household goods, clothing, books, bedding, small appliances and furniture (no entertainment units, used car seats or large appliances, please) from 2-6 p.m. on Sat., Sept. 6, and 8-1 on Sunday, Sept. 7 at Our Lady of Grace, 911 Park Boulevard.

For information, call Mike at 372-9641.

Bulky waste

Looking to lose some old furniture, mattresses, box springs, cardboard or tires (up to nine)?

The City of West Sacramento's next semi-annual "Bulky Waste Drop-Off" event will be held Wednesday, Sept. 24, through Saturday, Sept. 27, at 540 Harbor Boulevard. Hours are 4-7 p.m. on the weekdays and 9-3 on Saturday.

Free of charge. Bring proof of West Sacramento residency such as a city utility bill or driver's license. Seniors (65+) and disabled residents may qualify to have their items picked up: call 617-4589.

Wood and green waste are not accepted at this event. They may be recycled at the Yolo landfill. Watch for a voucher for a free load in your August utility bill.

More information: www.WestSacRecycles.org or 617-4589.

Nonprofits:

Yolo County nonprofits are invited to send a rep to the next Yolo County Nonprofit Leaders Alliance meeting, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wed., Sept. 10, at the City of Winters Public Safety Facility (700 Main St., Winters). Dan DeSantis of the Yolo Community Foundation will talk about community foundations and how they can help nonprofits.

Bring a small stack of flyers or handouts from your group if you like. RSVP to rachel.wolf@yolocounty.org.

Lincoln Highway

Lincoln Highway and Highway 40, the historic national route that runs through West Sacramento, are the subject of a new mini-exhibit created by the West Sacramento Historical Society.

You can see the display through the end of the year in the West Sacramento Community Center, 1075 West Capitol Avenue, during business hours.

Buy from the farm

Remember that little urban farm you read about that just sprang up at the corner of 5th and C streets in West Sacramento? You can now buy their Broderick-born produce direct at the Thursday afternoon farmers market in West Sacramento (item below). And you can also buy produce right at the farm site, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Fridays. EBT purchases can't be accepted yet, but will be soon. The farm is sponsored by the Center for Land-Based Learning.

Save water, energy

The "CaliforniaFIRST" program, a public-private partnership, offers no-money-down financing for home projects including solar systems, energy upgrades and water efficiency projects. The program's "PACE" financing allows financing by making payments through annual property taxes, so the financing stays with the property and not the borrower. Visit www.CaliforniaFIRST.org or call (844) 589-7953. These programs are available in Yolo County.

Justice awards

The Yolo County District Attorney's office will sponsor a Justice Leadership Awards Luncheon on Thursday, Sept. 18.

The awards are meant to recognize individuals and organizations who "promote multicultural relationships, acceptance and peace, forge diverse coalitions to assure ongoing community dialogue related to cultural awareness" and provide other help for the justice system. Nominations are sought. For more information or a nomination form, email Chief Deputy District Attorney Jonathan Raven at jonathan.raven@yolocounty.org.

Water wasters

How do you report water wasters? Call the City of West Sacramento's public works department, 617-4545. Leave a message with an address or a good description of location. Let them know if water was running into a gutter and for how long, and where the water was coming from (hose, broken sprinkler, etc.). City staff say they will check messages twice a day, and look into each situation, contacting the landowner or resident when necessary.

Beer against polio

The Yolo Brewing Company at 1520 Terminal Street in West Sacramento will partner with the Rotary organization in a fundraiser against worldwide polio on Sept. 17. Doors will be open 4-8 p.m. and 20 percent of proceeds go to the fight.

Wine & art

The annual "Wines of Clarksburg and Art Auction" event returns on Sunday, September 21.

The event is in support of the Friends of the Clarksburg Library, for programs that serve local residents and the Delta Elementary Charter School. It will be held from 1-5 p.m. on the grounds of the Heringer Ranch, 3735 Netherlands Road in Clarksrburg. There will be gourmet food, local wine, fine art and an art auction featuring regional artists.

Tickets are $30 before Aug. 30 or $40 at the event. Visit www.ClarksburgLibraryFriends.org.

Farm to Fork events

Sacramento's annual 'Farm to Fork' celebration, connecting local farms to local diners, includes several different events. One is the gala dinner to be held on the deck of the Tower Bridge on the evening of Sunday, Sept. 28. The bridge will, of course, be closed on the evening of Sept. 28.

Another Farm to Fork event is a pig roast September 15 at Raley Field in West Sacramento ($40; the event benefits the Sacramento Food Bank).

Visit FarmToFork.com.

Class of '94

River City High School's Class of 1994 will celebrate its 20-year reunion from 7-11 p.m. on Sept. 6 at Embassy Suites in Sacramento. Tickets are $50 and must be purchased by Aug. 1. Email jamie0625@sbcglobal.net or leesbacon@yahoo.com.

Babies & toddlers

Bring your baby or toddler to a "play and learn" workshop at 11:30 a.m. on Sept. 6, 13, 20 or 27, at the library, 1212 Merkley Avenue. Enjoy the playroom and talk to experts in early childhood education. Children age 1-4 and their caregivers only, please.

Rain Barrel Workshop

Lean more about whether a rain barrel system might help you save rainwater from your roof for help with your gardening later in the year. There will be a workshop at 2 p.m. on Sept. 13 at the library (1212 Merkley Avenue). Free. Visit the library to sign up.

Avoiding arguments

Representatives from Victor Support Services will teach you how to avoid power struggles with your children. Free at the library, 1212 Merkley Avenue, at 5:30 p.m. on Sept. 15.

Land Trust party

The Yolo Land Trust will host its annual "A Day in the Country" event this year from 3-6 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 7, at the Old Sugar Mill in Clarksburg.

The event will feature tastings from top local chefs, as well as selections from local farms, ranches, vineyards and breweries. Visit www.yololandtrust.org or call (530) 662-1110.

The trust seeks to preserve the agricultural uses of local farmland.

Music fest

Booked at the "TBD Fest' scheduled for October 3-5 on the West Sacramento riverfront include Moby, Blondie, Empire of the Sun and dozens of other artists. The music, arts and culture festival (formerly held in Sacramento and known as "Launch") will come to the River Walk near Tower Bridge, where a public-private partnership is constructing an outdoor venue called The Barn. For more information or tickets, visit www.tbdfest.com.

Mediterranean Fest

Experience food such as gyros, falafels, kabobs and Mediterranean-cuisine desserts, as well as entertainment, at a festival hosted by Virgin Mary Antioch Orthodox Church, 3050 Jefferson Blvd. in Southport. The event is held in "a romantic atmosphere surrounded by vineyard and olive trees." Sept. 13-14: Saturday from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Sunday noon to 7. Admission is $3 or $10 after 5 p.m. on Saturday. For information, call 955-4736.

Party at the 'gas station'

The unusual 'Reiff's Antique Gas Station Museum in Woodland boasts -- if you look closely, both an airplane and a car crashing into the walls, as well as a barber pole. Inside, there are antique soda vending machines and plenty of other Fifties flashbacks. (courtesy photo)

Empower Yolo, which provides violence-prevention and crisis intervention services to women and children in Yolo County, will host a party and fundraiser on Saturday, Sept. 20.

The "Rebels With a Cause: Driving Out Violence" event will be held at Reiff's Antique Gas Station Museum, a Woodland landmark decorated with vintage 1950s memorabilia, antiques, and relics of classic car culture.

The end-of-the-summer soiree will feature "doo-wop" music, Motown and Fifties hits, a car show, a 1950s costume contest, silent auction and more.

The event starts at 4 p.m. on Sept. 20 at 52 Jefferson Street, Woodland. Buy tickets ($25) online at www.empoweryolo.org/rebels or at Empower Yolo, 175 Walnut Street in Woodland. Ticket price includes the music, car show, drink ticket, hors d'oeuvres and a tour of the museum. Sponsorship opportunities available.

Empower Yolo is a nonprofit formerly known as the Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Center.

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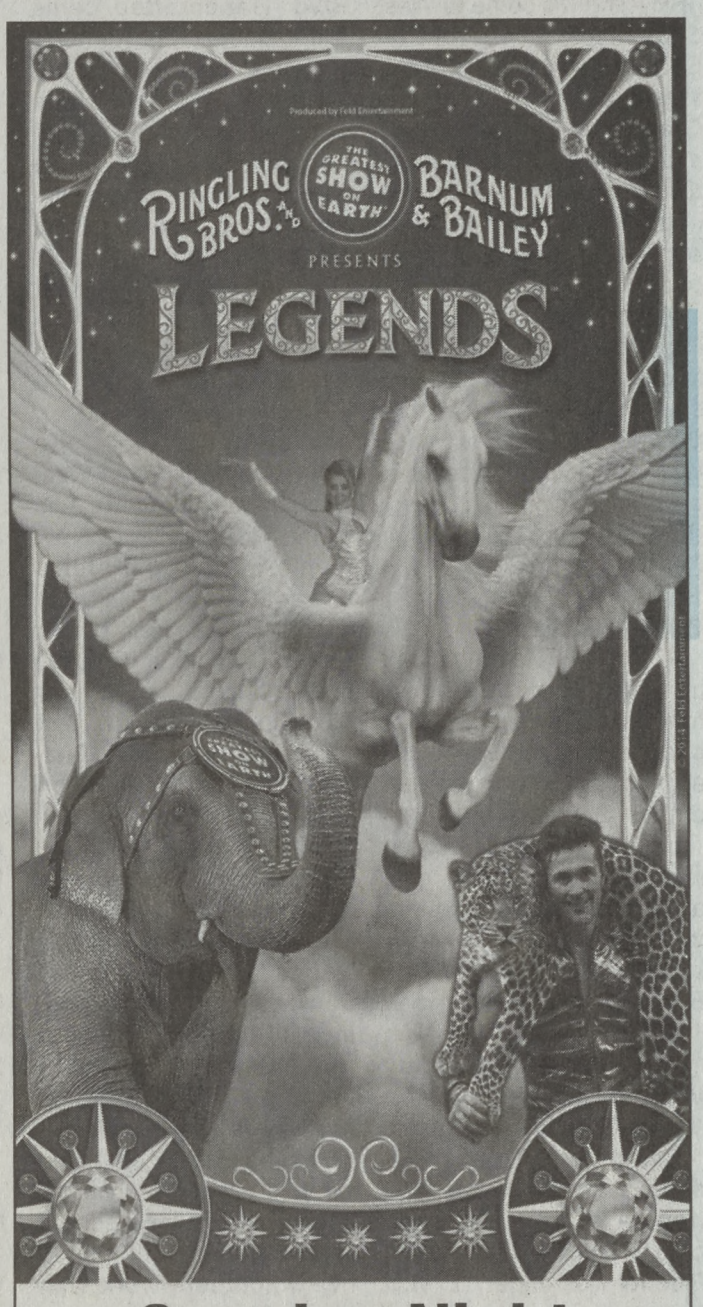

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920 Drever St., 371-8804
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www.community-lutheran-church.net

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church
911 Park Blvd., 371-4814
Father Nicholas Ho
Masses: Sat. Vigil 5:30pm
Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.
Weekdays 7 a.m.
No Mass on Thursday

Center for Spiritual Awareness
1275 Starboard Dr.
374-9177 (For prayer line, listen for prompt)
Sun. Service: 10:15
Youth Programs & Jr. Church
Rev. Georgia Prescott
www.csasacramento.org
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Good Shepherd Parish
A welcoming, independent Catholic Community
(916) 747-0284, 920 Drever St.
www.GoodShepardCommunity.org
Sunday Mass 4:30 p.m.;
Reconciliation Service Dec. 18 at 4:30 p.m.;
Christmas Morning Mass 10 a.m.
Pastor Tony Prandini, OSFC

Seventh Day Adventist Church
Sasa Andelkovic, Senior Pastor
2860 Jefferson Blvd., W. Sac.
PO Box 447, W. Sac. 95691
Sat. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.
Worship 11 a.m.
372-6570

Trinity Presbyterian Church
1500 Park Blvd. W. Sac. CA
916.371.5875
www.TrinityWestSac.org
administrator@TrinityWestSac.org
Pastor: Rev. Eric Keller
Assoc. Pastor, Latino Outreach: Rev. Tina Torres
Sunday Worship Services:
9 a.m. Contemporary
10:30 a.m. Spanish Language
11 a.m. Blended/Traditional

Holy Cross Catholic Church
1321 Anna St. (corner of Anna & Todhunter)
Pastor Efren Garcia
Sat. Vigil 5 p.m. (English)
Sunday 9 a.m. (English)
Noon & 7 p.m. (Spanish)
Mon., Tues., Wed. & Fri. 8:30 a.m.
Thurs. 6:45 p.m. (Spanish)
Call 371-1211

West Sacramento Baptist Church
Sun. School 9:30 a.m.
Sun. Worship 11am
Wed. 6:30pm Prayer Meeting & Bible Study
2124 Michigan Blvd.
371-2111

SouthPort Community Church
Pastor Bruce Maier
Celebration Worship Sunday 10:30 a.m. KidLand during service. Youth & Small Group Ministry for All Ages.
Call 372-7818.
Meets at 2919 Promenade St.
www.southportcommunity.com

Lighthouse Covenant Church
3605 Gregory Ave
(in Southport, where Jefferson, Davis & Gregory meet)
(916) 371-6706
Pastor Don Bosley

New Discovery Christian Church
Meets at Riverbank Elem. School multipurpose room (rear of school),10:30 a.m. Sundays.
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Casual dress.
Pastor Jerry Green
(916) 933-2351

Horizon Christian Fellowship
Rev. Claude J Perez, Sr., Pastor
1800 Manzanita Way, 371-3458
SUN. Worship 9:15 am, 11 am
TUES. Celebrate Recovery 6:30pm
WED. Fuel Station Prayer & Devotion Service, 6:30pm
WED. Girls Ministries & Royal Rangers, 6:30pm
THURS. CounterCulture Student Service, 7pm

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The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
2667 Linden Rd.
Bishop John Vargas
(916) 601-5388
Sunday Meeting Times:
Sacrament Meeting - 9 AM
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Cyclocross

Bicycling will come to West Sacramento's riverfront on Saturday in the form of the West Sacramento Cyclocross Grand Prix. Beginners and experts will race in separate divisions on a closed course near the ziggurat building and the I Street and Tower bridges.

Free to spectators, with Bike Dog Brewery beer, food trucks and live music. The event will be held at 651 Second Street. First race is at 10:15 a.m. To register as a competitor, visit https://timeyourrace.com/GCX/RegMain.asp

BBQ-Boats-Brews

River City Rowing Club invites you to its annual fundraising party from 4-8 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 13, at the boathouse on the Port of West Sacramento.

There will be ribs, chicken and other items off the grill, a chance to take a ride in a rowing shell (or in a canoe or kayak), beers from Bike Dog Brewing, Yolo Brewing and Jackrabbit, as well as live music from the Legendary Mike McGowan and the Mighty Delta Roadmasters.

Tickets are $15 to $50, depending on whether you want a bottomless beer mug, T-shirt and so forth. Free for kids under 12. Visit boatsbrewsbbq.eventbrite.com or www.rivercityrowing.org.

The entrance to the boathouse is just west of the Port's main entrance at Harbor and Industrial; watch for the sign.

Craft sale

Trinity Presbyterian Church will hold a craft sale from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sat., Oct. 11, at 1500 Park Blvd. Handcrafted items will include table runners, aprons, pillowcases, scarves, paintings, some antiques, jewely and picture frames. Free coffee. Bake sale. For more information (including booth rental information) call 371-5875. Church website is www.trinitywestsac.org.

Age 50+ Club

Those age 50 and up are invited to join the Golden Years Club of West Sacramento. The club meets on the third Tuesday of every month at 5:30 p.m. for a dinner at the VFW Hall, 900 Drever Street. Next dinner (Sept. 16) is a potluck; please bring a food item or $5 at the door. Raffle and bingo will follow. Info: Bea, 371-8799.

Healthy habits

Volunteers age 50+ are needed to support the "CATCH Healthy Habits" program in West Sacramento. The program meets with local children after school to share a healthy snack and some fun fitness activity. Weekly commitment is 2-3 hours per week for eight weeks in the city's KidZone afterschool program. Teams of four to five volunteers work with about 20 students for an hour at a time, and other volunteers are needed "behind the scenes.

Next volunteer training session is Sept. 29 & 30, 12:30 to 4 p.m. at the Bridgeway Lakes Boathouse, 3650 Southport parkway. For information, contact Russell Nelson, russeln@cityofwestsacramento.org or 617-4613.

Garden foods

You're invited to a couple of free events hosted by the Yolo County Health Services Department in September at the Hanna & Herbert Bauer Memorial Community Garden, 137 N. Cottonwood Ave. in Woodland.

From 10-noon on Sat., Sept. 6, learn how to preserve your garden tomatoes with water-bath canning, sauces and tomato jam. Register by noon Sept. 5 (see below).

The garden will celebrate its one-year anniversary from 11:30-12:30 on Friday, Sept. 19, with fresh foods and information.

RSVP for either event with Robin Rocksvold, (530) 666-8528 or robin.rocksvold@yolocounty.org.

Cajun dancing

There will be Cajun/Zydeco dancing on Sunday, Sept. 21, at the Bryte VFW Post, 1708 Lisbon Avenue. Live music from 3-6:30 p.m. with food for sale from 2-4 p.m. $15 cover charge. For information, call Buddy Linker at 371-6303. Visit www.wscajundancers.blogspot.com.

Discover Clarksburg

Join the Sacramento Walking Sticks 'Volkssport' Club with a walk through Clarksburg on Sat., Sept. 27. Visit shady rural roads, fields of grape vines and stop to sample some wines at the Old Sugar Mill. The walk starts at Delta High School, 52810 Netherlands Road. Register from 9 a.m. to noon and you're asked to finish by 3 p.m. Free if paying for $3 volksswalk credit to get your event credit and recognition. Visit www.SacramentoWalkingSticks.org.

Dinner for CASA

Come to the 'I am For the Child' dinner hosted by Yolo CASA, and support a program that looks out for children in the local foster care system. The dinner/auction will take place at 4:30 p.m. on Sept. 28 at the Inn at Park Winters, 27850 C.R. 26, Winters.

Choice of tri-tip, salmon or veggie entrée. Live & silent auction. $75; RSVP by Sept. 10. Visit www.YoloCASA.org or call (530) 661-4200.

Catholic faith

Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church will start a 30-week program "to bring adults fully into the Catholic church" on Sept. 8, but "those simply curious about our faith are welcome to come also." Meetings will be at the parish center on the OLG school campus, Mondays at 7 p.m., 1990 Linden Road.

There will also be orientation meetings after the 9 a.m. mass at the church, 911 Park Blvd., on Aug. 24 & 31.

Free movie

The Moose Lodge invites you to a free movie on the first Friday of September, Sept. 5. Call 371-9684 or come by the lodge (after 4 pm, 3240 Jefferson Blvd. in Southport) to sign up. Dinner for sale at the event.

Teen photo contest

Teens are invited to submit an original photo in September for a contest at the library. Deliver your entry in person (1212 Merkley Avenue) or email it to teenlibrarycontest@gmail.com.

9/11 flag display

John Vinson's popular flag display in memory of the victims of the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks will return from September 10-14 at the corner of Jefferson Boulevard and South River Road in Southport. Thousands of

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